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## **SOUTH CAROLINA GLEANINGS IN ENGLAND.**

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William Gill (son and heir) of Captain John Gill, Mariner, late of Bridge Town, Barbados, deceased, but now of London, gentleman. Will 12 February 1739-40; proved 10 August 1743. To my sister Frances Gill, now in London, lands which my father John Gill bought of Nathaniel Snow, Doctor, scituate up the River near Charles Town, South Carolina, also all goods due from my father's will in Barbados, Carolina, or elsewhere. Executrix: Sister Frances. Witnesses: John Eaglesfield, Ann Eaglesfield, Catherine Payne.

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Raymond Calvert of Charles Town, Bell founder. Will 24 October 1766; proved 22 August 1767. All my estate to my friend Emanuel Reller, formerly Lieutenant in his Majesty's service. Witnesses: Lewis Planche, Mathew Binnet, James Franchpoire. ["Reynard Calvert otherwise Raymond Calvet"]

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George Seaman of Charlestown, South Carolina, Gentleman. Will 14 January 1769; proved 24 July 1769. To my sister Elizabeth Seaman of Leith, in North Britain £100 per annum for life and £200. To my cousin Naome Ross, commonly called Lady Pitcane, of Cromartie, in North Britain, £500. To my cousins Catharine and Christian Brown, of Leith, North Britain, £200 apiece. To my cousin Helen Kendall of Leith, North Britain, £50. To Cousin Munro Ross of Pitcance [Pitcaun]

in North Britain £2000 when 21, if he die £500 to his mother Naome Ross and balance, one half to poor of Leith and other half to pious uses. To John Deas of Charlestown, Merchant, £2000. To William Lennax of same place, Merchant, £2000. To Mary, Catherine, and Elizabeth Deas, daughters of David Deas of Charlestown, £300 apiece. To Catherine Lennox, daughter of James Lennox of Charlestown, Merchant, £300. To the South Carolina Society £300. To my executors £500 for the infirmary at Edinburgh, in North Britain, also £500 for poor of Leith. To my daughter in law Elizabeth Deas, wife of John Deas, my Negro woman named Alice and my three pieces of Arras, my pew at the East End of St. Phillips Church in Charlestown known in the plan by the Number one; also use of my seven negro Slaves named Venus and her son Adam, Cinda and her son Moses, and Hannah, Moll, and Betty, and their future Issue; also all China, Glass, Plate, Linnen, etc; also my tenement on the Bay of Charlestown now possessed by Newman and Swallow. To said James Lenna [Lennox] for life my Lott, garden, stores, etc in the Bay of Charlestown, with that part of my Lott fronting Bedons Alley, now enclosed by the Partition fence and possessed by Messrs Woodroff and Cathcart and after his decease to said Lennox for life my tenement purchased of Henry Bedon now possessed by Messrs Woodrofe and Cathcart. To said David Deas of Charlestown, Merch: for life tenement on Bay of Charlestown fronting Bedon's Alley, purchased from Henry Bedon, now possessed by Andrew Lord. My executors to complete for purchase of 333 acres at Combahee to executors of will of Hannah Rippon. I bequeath said tract to John Deas, eldest son of my said daughter in law Elizabeth Deas by aforesaid John Deas, also my undivided half of tract adjoining Combahee Causey formerly belonging to William Buckanan, containing 1250 acres,

conveyed to John Deas the father by Daniel Doyley, late Provost Marshal of the Province, for which I paid half the purchase money, also 793 acres adjoining conveyed to me by Thomas Jones, but John Deas paid half the consideration money &c, also my half of 640 acres on Wasamsau Road, adjoining old Barns's & Tract which I own which I jointly purchased with John Deas of Richard Singleton, also 850 acres at Combahee purchased of Charles Londes formerly Provost Marshall, and formerly belonged to Daniel Welshuysen, also land in Colleton Square, Charlestown, opposite where I live at present enclosed as a Coarder, purchased partly of attorneys of John Watson, partly of Egerton Leigh, Esq., partly of Executors of George Munter, etc; also reversion of my Southernmost Tenement on the Bay of Charlestown, with stores, Garden &c, in possession of Newman and Swallow, on decease of John Deas and Daughter in Law, Elizabeth his wife; also reversion of Lott fronting Bedons Alley in possession of Woodroff and Cathcart on death of James Lennox and William Lennox; also reversion of other Lott on Bay with that part fronting Bedons Alley on decease of said David Deas; also those my Eighty three Negro and other slaves known by names of Bastian, Peter, Young-marsh, Abraham, Tony, July, King, John, Jamey, Sancho, Sam, Pompey, February, March, Monday, Adam, Job, Will, Old London, Mamby, Prince, Nero, Caro, Philander, Martha, Natta, Diana, Lucy, Sabina, Mercia, Sinda, Maria, Diana, Nannah, Judy, Kate, Stepheney, Nancy, Flora, Sarah, Joe, June, Dover, Christopher, Bastion, Rose, Lucy, Bella, Joan, Abraham, Owen, Bille, Daniel, Apollo, Ben, Job, Sambo, Frederick, July, Caesar, Nelly, Mary, Cato, Flora, Maria, Affey, Betty, Moll, Little London, and fourteen more names I cant particularly remember on my Plantation at Combahee called Walnut Hill; also my Forty one Negro and other

Slaves known by Names of Farewell, Jacob, Betty, James, Joan, Charles, Sue, Clarinda, Nancy, Old Emanuel, Young Orkney, Sarah, Mary, Bob, Israel, Rose, Nanney, Tom, Beck, Mathias, Natt, Jeffery, Ben, Rose, Amaritta, Aberdeen, Affey. Precilla, Toney, Pinda, Moses, Lark, Bram, Jeffrey, Barbary, Bob, Mohomed, Duff, Frankey, Prince, and Minda on my plantations at the Tuplio and Cypress where I plant jointly with John Deas the father, also my Eighty one other Slaves Known by the Names of Charles, Tom, Catana, Amey, Ben, Tom, Hanaby, Maurice, Esther, London, Moses, Tom, Sampson, Betty, Johnny, Stephaney, Cate, Young Jersey, Will, Semey, Toney, Bess, Prince, Flora, Silvia, Harrey, Kate, Isaac, Dina, John, Amoretta, Sayer, Caesar, March, Younger-Maria, Cupid, Clarinda, Bob, Paris, Peggy, Job, Mary, Primus, Glasgow, Maria, Old Hamilton, Young Jupiter, Belinda, Dembo, Jackey, Phillis, Oxford, Margaritta, Abram, Caesar, Carpenter-Dick, Grace, Dublin, Nanney, Harry, Juno, Old Amey, Quashy, Francisco, Frank, January, Rachael, Carpenter-Franck, Carpenter-Joe, Paul, Cato, Young March, Little Hannah, and Boston on my Plantation known by the name of Thorough Good at Goose Creek, with increase; also my Nineteen Negro and other Slaves in Charlestown known by the names of Mary Venus's Child, Mindas three children, Baxter and Lucy, Moggy's Child, Peggy, Old Dick, Stepney a Boatman, Cloe his wife and child, Nancy, Silvia, Brass, Dina, Hannah's Child Nancy, Mary-Ann, John, with future issue; also reversion of seven Negroes and my plate given to Elizabeth Deas and ditto of Thorough Good of Estate of Maurice Keating; also Stock of Cattle &c at Plantation called Walnut Hill; also my Guns, Pistols, Sword, Cutteau, apparel, &c, to said John Deas, Eldest son of my said Daughter in Law Elizabeth Deas; if he happen to die before he is 21

and unmarried, all the above to Seaman Deas, another son of my daughter in Law, Elizabeth Deas, if he die, to go to other children of Elizabeth Deas, including the portion of slaves which belonged to William Allen the father of the said Elizabeth Deas. John Deas to pay £500 each to his brothers William Allen Deas, David Deas, and Seaman Deas, as they are 21, £500 to sister Mary Deas when 21 or married. Silver plate not to be melted down; if it is, the value to be given in forfeit to Churchwardens of St. Phillips for use of the poor. Negro Slaves Cotta, Venua, and Sylvia, and Betty, to be kindly used and Negro Woman Minda to live, if she pleases, with John Deas, with good plain Summer and Winter Cloathes, and a piece of Coarse Linnen yearly; also Negro Women Bina and Moggy, if they chuse it, to live with friend David Deas, ditto; and Negro Man Jamey, a Carpenter, to work out for hire. But not my Intention to enfranchise four last mentioned Slaves, apprehending they will better Contented and more Happy in the above Situation than in a State of Liberty or Bondage. To Seaman Deas my lott in Bedons Alley in occupation of William Williams; also my half of the Schooner Thorough-Good with her Boat, Tackle, and Apparel; also my Mulatto Boy named Joseph, and all other slaves not bequeathed, the above Minda, etc, excepted; also China, glass, &c at death of Elizabeth Deas, &c To the Treasurer of Herriott's Hospital at Edinburgh, N.B., £50. To my cousin Naome Ross my seal with my coat of arms engraved set in Gold, with three pieces of Gold two of which are the last that were Coined in Scotland. To my Sister in Law Rachell Caw of Charlestown, widow, £20, all my carpets and my large Screen. To Emarintha Richardson, wife of John Richardson of East Florida, £20 annually for life. To Archibald Broun, son of the late Robert Broun of Goose Creek, £20. To Mary Deas, Daughter of John Deas

aforesaid, feather Beds with Bolster and Pillows and one Sattin Counterpane. All bonds in joint names of James Lennox and David Deas, but not in Names of Either severally, to be given up to them. To said James Lennox my Walnut Chest of Drawers and twelve prints representing the months of the year, painted on Glass. To friends, James Lennox, David Deas, William Lennox, and John Deas all remaining furniture including Liquors, but Doctor John Moultrie of Charlestown to share in my liquors when they are divided. I will that £100 be spent by my executors in London to buy coarse Linnens, Checks, large Coarse Hatts, Oznabrigs, Thread, Needles, Pipes, Coarse Handkerchiefs, &c, which with remaining part of my apparel, I desire to be divided among such of my negroes as are deserving. To my friends Benjamin Smith and Thomas Smith the younger of Charlestown Gentleman £200, to be employed for enclosing the Churchyard of St. Phillips with a Brick wall or other uses. To Doctor John Moultrie, £20. To William Woodrop of Charlestown, Merchant, £50. To Elizabeth Watson of Charlestown, spinster, £20. To William Stone, late of Charlestown, merchant, £10; also £10 to his wife. To friend David Deas my Riding Chair and two Northward Horses. To friends, David Deas, James Lennox, Wm. Lennox, and John Deas and Wm. Allen Deas, David Deas and Seaman Deas, children of said John Deas, all Lotts of Land in Town of Beaufort. To Esther, wife of James Rockatt of London, Sarah, wife of William Hopton of Charlestown, and my friends Alexander Rigg, Richard Gough, James Keith, Robert Raper, Roger Peter Handasyde Hatley, Frederick Grimkee, Benjamin Smith, and Thomas Smith the younger, of the said town, five English guineas each. All the rest to friends James Lennox, William Lennox, David Deas, and John Deas, my executors. Witnesses: Robt. Williams, Junior, Edward Pierce, Robert Dick.

Bogg, 264.

Charles Pinckney of Charles Town, South Carolina, Esquire. Will 4 June 1752; proved 18 March 1769. To be buried near my father and mother in the old church yard in Charles Town. A sum not exceeding £100 to be used in walling in the burying ground of our Family, 16 feet wide from East to West and 20 feet long from North to South, and £200 for a grave stone for my parents. To my Brother Major William Pinckney £200 for mourning for his wife and children, my silver hilted sword, Rapin's History of England, and Tindal's Continuation thereof, in five volumes in folio, and Amherley's Britania Constitution. To my friend William Bull, Junior, Esquire, my gold headed Cane with the glass in the top, St. Amand's Historical Essay, and Squire's enquiry into the English Constitution. To my deceased wife's sister, Mrs Sarah Bartlett of London, widow, £10 per annum yearly; to my wife's neice Mary Bartlett 10 guineas for mourning. To my nephew Charles Pinckney, whom I have maintained in England for 5 years past, £200, and his boarding in my family till he is 21, and £25 worth sterling cost of my Law Books. To my wife Elizabeth, daughter of Hon. Colonel George Lucas, late Lieutenant Governor of Antigua, deceased, my slaves and rings (except the rose diamond ring which I desire her to give to our daughter Harriott and the diamond mourning ring to our Son Thomas, it being for his uncle of that name, the use of my plantation called Bellmount, also house and land bought from Messrs Wragg & Bolton in Colleton Square, formerly belonging to James McCrellis, deceased. To my son Charles Cotesworth Pinckney my gold watch (and after decease of his mother, the diamond mourning ring for my late wife), certain slaves with their increase, and my Library to be sold for his benefit. To my son Thomas Pinckney slaves with their increase. To my daughter Harriot slaves with their increase. My son Charles to be virtuously,



religiously, and liberally brought up and educated in the study and practice of the Laws of England, to serve his God and his country, to employ his abilities in support of private Right and Justice between Man and Man. To my said son my Mansion House in my own occupation in Colleton Square in Charles Town, my part of Watie's four lots at the upper end of the square (except the part opposite to Mr. Saunders the sadlers), my house in the Bay next to Col. Beales bought on an Execution against Joseph Shute, my plantation called Pinckney's Plains near Beech Hill, my islands at Port Royal called Espalango, and water Islands, and five hundred acres on Savannah River near Silver Bluff purchased from Charles Richmond Gascoigne. To my son Thomas my messuage and Store Houses on the Bay now in occupation of Captain Thomas Shubruk, 500 acres at Foreholes, 1111 acres at Ashepoe. All the rest of my real estate to be sold and divided between my children, Charles Cotesworth, Thomas, and Harriott. In order to establish Lectures among my country men similar to those instituted in Great Britain by the Honourable Mr. Boyle, my son Charles to pay 5 guineas to such Lecturer appointed by a Majority of H. M. Honourable Council residing in Charles Town to preach two sermons in parish church of St. Phillips, one sermon on Wednesday next after the second Tuesday in November, and on Wednesday next after second Tuesday in May, for ever, on the glorious and inexhaustible subjects of the greatness of God and his goodness to all his Creatures, Subjects which can never fail through all the rounds of Eternity, and if I may presume I would humbly point out the 145th Psalm as a text; and to the first native of Carolina who shall obtain the approbation of the majority of the Council in their writing and under their hands I give 5 guineas, Tillotson's sermons in three volumes in folio, and also Doctor Samuel Clarks works in folio. Guardians to my

children: my wife Elizabeth and William Bull, junior, Esquire. Executrix: wife Elizabeth. Witnesses: John Cleland, Alexander Vander Dussen, Alexander Gorden. Codicil 30 June 1752 N. S. Land purchased in French Alley in Colleton Square from Gabriell Guignard and Thomas Burnham to my son Thomas. Codicil 12 July 1752 N. S. Marshland on Hog Island Creek and Cooper River to sons Charles and Thomas. Codicil 13 February 1756. Charles Pinckney, late of Charlestown, South Carolina, now resident at Ripley, county Surrey. Bequests of certain Slaves to wife and children in will revoked and others substituted, a tenement lately purchased in Ripley to wife Elizabeth, she to convey them to my son Charles Cotesworth, when he is 21. My uncle Richard Pinckney of Bishop Auckland, county Durham, died about 1726, seized of tenements in Buck Wingate Street in Bishop Auckland, alias Fenkill Street, now in tenure of John Curry and William Thomson and his Mother; these came to my Eldest Brother Thomas as heir at law and then on his decease intestate, in 1733, came to me as his heir at law; I then being and residing in parts beyond the seas, did not return until 1 May 1733; these lands in Durham and York to my son Charles Cotesworth Pinckney. Executors: wife Elizabeth, Sons Charles and Thomas, when 21. Witnesses: George Morley, James Abercromby, Thomas Drayton. 25 November 1758. Oath of George Morley of Somerset House in the Strand, Esq., and John Chatfield of Cliffords Inn, London, gent.

Bogg, 100.